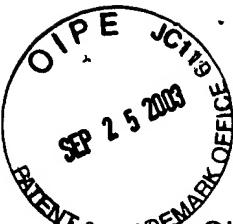


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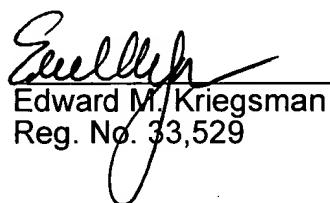
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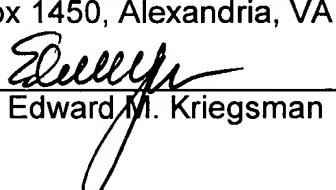
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated March 21, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated below.

There are no **Amendments to the Specification** in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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